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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

NANSIK HWANG,

Petitioner,

v.

ERIC H. HOLDER, Jr., Attorney General,

Respondent.

No. 06-73383

Agency No. A072-970-149

MEMORANDUM*

On Petition for Review of an Order of the Board of Immigration Appeals

Submitted September 27, 2011**

Before: SILVERMAN, W. FLETCHER, and MURGUIA, Circuit Judges.

Nansik Hwang, a native and citizen of South Korea, petitions for review of the Board of Immigration Appeals' order dismissing her appeal from an immigration judge's removal order. We have jurisdiction under 8 U.S.C. § 1252.

^{*} This disposition is not appropriate for publication and is not precedent except as provided by 9th Cir. R. 36-3.

^{**} The panel unanimously concludes this case is suitable for decision without oral argument. See Fed. R. App. P. 34(a)(2).

We review de novo questions of law, *Kim v. Holder*, 603 F.3d 1100, 1102 (9th Cir. 2010), and we deny the petition for review.

The BIA did not err in concluding that Hwang was ineligible for a waiver of inadmissibility under 8 U.S.C. § 1182(k) where she never possessed an immigrant visa. *See Kyong Ho Shin v. Holder*, 607 F.3d 1213, 1219 (9th Cir. 2010) (to be eligible for a waiver under 8 U.S.C. § 1182(k) an alien must possess an immigrant visa).

Hwang's remaining contention is not persuasive.

PETITION FOR REVIEW DENIED.

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